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inspection of immigrants, 109; disinfection of soiled linen imported for laundry work, 477 pieces; vaccination of children of immigrants, 12.

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Laredo, Tex., April 13, 1902—Inspection service.—I have the honor to submit the following report of transactions at this station for the week ended April 12, 1902: Number of passenger trains entering from Mexico inspected, 14; persons inspected on trains entering from Mexico, passed 577; detained April 8, 1 person, two days out from Vera Cruz, Mexico—detained necessary time at detention camp; immigrants inspected and passed, 47; immigrants vaccinated upon entry, 12.

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Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.

ALABAMA—Mobile.—Month of February, 1902. Census population, 38,469. Total number of deaths, 91, including enteric fever, 1, and 15 from tuberculosis.

California—Oakland.—Month of February, 1902. Estimated population, 75,000. Total number of deaths, 98, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 1, and 9 from tuberculosis.

Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 75,000. Total number of deaths, 74, including diphtheria, 5, and 7 from tuberculosis.

CONNECTICUT.—Reports to the State board of health for the month of March; 1902, from 166 towns having an aggregate census population of 905,957, show a total of 1,239 deaths, including diphtheria, 18; enteric fever, 6; measles, 1; scarlet fever, 20; whooping cough, 11; smallpox, 1, and 140 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Indiana—Evansville.—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 65,000. Total number of deaths, 65, including 13 from tuberculosis.

Kansas—Wichita.—Two weeks ended April 12, 1902. Estimated population, 26,000. Total number of deaths, 13, including 2 from tuberculosis.

MARYLAND—Baltimore.—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 525,000—white, 445,000; colored, 80,000. Total number of deaths, 849—white, 625; colored, 224—including diphtheria, 6; enteric fever, 5; measles, 1; scarlet fever, 1; smallpox, 3, and 115 from tuberculosis.

MASSACHUSETTS—Holyoke.—Month of February, 1902. Census population, 45,712. Total number of deaths, 62, including diphtheria, 3; enteric fever, 2; measles, 2, and 11 from tuberculosis.

Month of March, 1902. Total number of deaths, 64, including diphtheria, 2; enteric fever, 1, and 14 from tuberculosis.

MICHIGAN.—Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, for the week ended April 12, 1902, from 75 observers, indicate that measles and meningitis were more prevalent and pleuritis, inflammation of

kidneys, remittent fever, enteric fever, whooping cough, and diphtheria were less prevalent than in the preceding week. Meningitis was reported present at 6, whooping cough at 15, diphtheria at 21, enteric fever at 32, measles at 80, scarlet fever at 84, smallpox at 133, and phthisis pulmonalis at 215 places.

MINNESOTA—Minneapolis.—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 240,000. Total number of deaths, 214, including diphtheria 5; enteric fever 8; measles, 2; scarlet fever, 2; whooping cough, 2, and 27 from tuberculosis.

NEW Hampshire—Manchester.—Month of February, 1902. Census population, 56,987. Total number of deaths, 86, including enteric fever, 1; whooping cough, 1, and 9 from tuberculosis.

Month of March, 1902. Total number of deaths, 97, including diphtheria, 1, and 10 from tuberculosis.

NEW YORK—Auburn.—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 35,000. Total number of deaths, 35, including whooping cough, 2, and 5 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Buffalo.—Month of March, 1902. Census population, 352,387. Total number of deaths, 520, including diphtheria, 13; enteric fever, 8; measles, 15; whooping cough, 1, and 57 from tuberculosis.

Rochester. — Month of March, 1902. Census population, 162,608. Total number of deaths, 176, including diphtheria, 3; scarlet fever, 3, and 16 from phthisis pulmonalis.

PENNSYLVANIA—Columbia.—Four weeks ended April 14, 1902. Census population, 12,316. Total number of deaths, 17, including enteric fever, 1, and 1 from phthisis pulmonalis.

York.—Four weeks ended April 5, 1902. Estimated population, 37,000. Total number of deaths, 50, including measles, 1; scarlet fever, 1; whooping cough, 1; smallpox, 3, and 4 from tuberculosis.

RHODE ISLAND—Newport.—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 23,000. Total number of deaths, 30, including 5 from phthisis pulmonalis.

TENNESSEE—Nashville.—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 81,320—white, 51,128; colored, 30,192. Total number of deaths, 150—white, 63; colored, 87—including enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 2, and 19 from tuberculosis.

UTAH—Ogden.—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 23, including 1 from scarlet fever.

Salt Lake City.—Month of March, 1902. Census population, 53,531. Total number of deaths, 75, including diphtheria, 3; scarlet fever, 4, and 4 from tuberculosis.